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Trai	nsmitted h	erewith for filing is a patent application of:					
Inventor(s):		David N. Pether and Mark D. Richards					
For:		BIT REDUCTION USING DITHER, ROUNDING AND ERROR FEEDBACK					
Enc	losed are:						
1.	<u>X</u>	Specification (13 pages); Claims (5 pages); Abstract (1 page)					
2.	<u>X</u>	6 sheets of formal drawings.					
3.	X	Oath or Declaration Total Pages 3  a. X Newly executed (original or copy)  b. Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d))  (for continuation/divisional with Item 5 completed)  c. Copy of Revocation of Previous Power					
4.	<del></del>	Incorporation By Reference (usable if Item 3b is checked) The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Item 3b, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.					
5.		If a Continuing Application, check appropriate box and supply the requisite information below and in a preliminary amendment:  Continuation Divisional Continuation-in-part (CIP)					
		of prior application no.:					
6.	<u>X</u>	An assignment to LSI LOGIC CORPORATION, along with PTO form 1595.					
7.		A PTO Form 1449 with a copy of the references not previously cited.					
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9.		A PTO Form SB/35 - Request and Certification Under 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i).					

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